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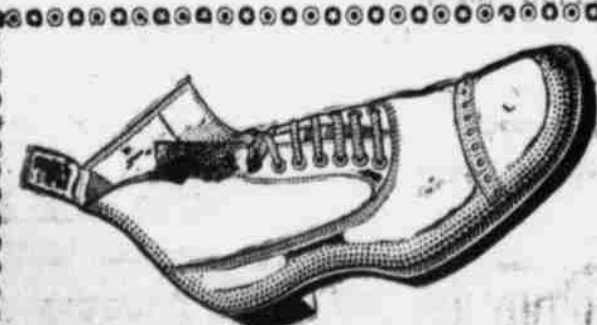
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Lucerne, Switzerland, Sept. 19.—The fourteenth international peace congress opened here today under the most auspicious conditions. The number of delegates is larger than ever, and there seems to be much more enthusiasm among the foreign delegates than ever before. The representation of the United States has never been so large and, including the delegates of the various peace societies and other organizations interested in the international peace agitation, state representatives and peace delegates of various organizations only indirectly concerned in the objects of the peace movement there are over one hundred and fifty Americans attending the congress.

The opening session of the conference was called to order today by the veteran peace worker, M. Frederic Bajer, of Denmark, the head of the international peace bureau at Berne. M. Elie Ducommun, also of the peace bureau, acted as secretary. Mr. Bajer delivered the opening address, in which he outlined the program for the congress. He called attention to the war just ended and the increasing sentiment in favor of supplanting war by arbitration. He expressed the hope that the congress would work in a systematic manner and would reach tangible and practicable results before it adjourned. He warned against futile attempts to carry out impossible utopian plans, and advised the conference to confine itself to the discussion of plans which were not too visionary to hope for their success.

According to the program of the congress the first business is the report of the peace bureau on the events of the year relating to war and peace. An important feature will be the study of the conditions of the establishment of an international federation, with special consideration of the problems of the guarantee of the autonomy of the nations forming the federation, the harmonious adjustment and management of their common interests, measures for the promotion of unity, methods of international legal procedure, and the spread of ideas of natural law and morals in the promotion of peace.

The special report and conclusions of the commission appointed to study the problem of a reconciliation between France and Germany will form an interesting subject of discussion. Another part of the deliberations will be devoted to the study of the economic causes of war. Reports on the workingmen's movements in the interest of peace, and on the general subject of industrial concentration, trusts, and syndicates, as affecting peace and international relations, will be submitted and discussed.

Other important features of the program are: The alliance of states for the promotion of pacific ends; the civil sanctions of international arbitration decisions; the neutralization of land and water areas; the work of the coming second international conference at The Hague; the arrest and reduction of armaments; the creation of a permanent in-

ternational congress; the rights and duties of neutrals; the organization of an international system of education; the study of how to apply this system to different grades of instruction, to lead to the equalization of courses of study and of diplomas in different countries as well as to the interchange of scholars and students.

The question of creating an international auxiliary language will also be considered. This subject has been considered by several previous congresses, but no satisfactory conclusion was ever reached. It is believed now that the present congress will bring the problem a big step nearer its solution. Besides the features already selected on the program there will be many in the course of the deliberations of the congress. The delegates are quite confident that the present congress will be far more successful than any of its predecessors, owing to the fact that recent events have prepared the ground for rapid progress in the interest of the international peace movement.

NOT CALLED BY CZAR

Belief Is Prevailant that Emperor Merely Signified Acceptance.

NO CONFERENCE THIS YEAR

Presidents' Call for Second International Peace Congress Is Sufficient When Powers are Ready to Participate—Administrative Council Will Set Date.

Washington, Sept. 19.—It is not believed in Washington that the proposed second international peace conference at The Hague will be held this year. It is doubted, also, that the second conference will be convened at the call of the emperor of Russia, as has been indicated in dispatches from St. Petersburg. It is assumed that what has happened in St. Petersburg is that the Russian government, having caused the postponement of the second conference on account of war, is now about to notify the administrative council that it is now willing to proceed to the second conference called by President Roosevelt. The state department so far has not yet been informed of this decision, but it is disposed to accept the St. Petersburg advice as conclusive on that point.

The next step in order if the normal course is followed is a definite acceptance by the powers of an invitation naming a specific date for the conference, and this probably will contain reservations by most of the powers with the purpose of securing limitations of the program of topics to be considered. This may naturally be expected to consume many weeks, and perhaps months, so it is improbable that the second conference at The Hague will meet before the next calendar year.

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